DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock: failure of pasturage, of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Boiled rice, 2nd sort	7·35	6·90	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi ...	13·68	12·37	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort ...		7·47	

Agricultural operations.—Fields are being ploughed.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficiently available.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Sugar cane is being milled in parts of all the taluks, except Bangalore and Devanhalli and the Closepet Sub-Taluk. Sugar cane is being planted in parts of the Nelamangala, Kankanhalli and Magadi Taluks. Manure is being carted to wet and dry lands in parts of the Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Magadi, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluk.

State of standing crops.—Vaisakhi paddy in parts of the Anekal Taluk; and Vaisakhi paddy and sugar cane in parts of the Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli and Channapatna Taluks, are in fair condition. Sugar cane in parts of the Bangalore Taluk is also in fair condition.

Outturn of the harvested crops.—Sugar cane—Hoskote, 8 annas; Dodballapur, 4 to 12 annas; Nelamangala, 8 to 16 annas; Kankanhalli, 12 annas; Magadi, 4 to 8 annas and Devanhalli 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in Kasba Hoskote and Jotipur village of the Hoskote Taluk and Konappan Agrahar village of the Bangalore Taluk and small-pox in Magadi, and villages of that taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available. In some parts of the Nelamangala Taluk it is reported that drinking water for cattle is being supplied from draw-wells.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in all the taluks.

Crops sown.—Sugar cane in the Mulbagal and Sidlaghatta Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested and their probable outturn.—Sugar cane in the Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta and Malur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield about 8 to 12 annas; paddy in the Sidlaghatta Taluk and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 4 and 8 annas respectively; and turmeric and jola in the Goribidnur Taluk, yield 12 annas.

Standing crops.—Sugar cane is in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. There have been a few cases of cholera in the Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli and Goribidnur Taluks, and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk. Otherwise public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Pasture and fodder are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Sugar cane in parts of the Tumkur, Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks; and paddy in parts of the Gubbi Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in parts of the Tumkur, Sira and Chiknayakanhalli Taluks, yield 4 to 6 annas; sugar cane in parts of the Tumkur, Sira and Kunigal Taluks and in parts of the Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks, yield 6 to 8 annas; jola in parts of the Maddagiri Taluk, yield 4 annas; Bengal gram in parts of the Chiknayakanhalli Taluk and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, yield 8 annas; and cotton and castor in the Pavagada Taluk.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar cane and jola in parts of the district are reported to be in fair condition.

Agricultural operations.—Raiyats are carting manure to their fields.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available. Rain is wanted throughout the district.

11. Public health is good, except for small-pox in some of the villages of the Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira and Pavagada Taluks.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy, except in parts of the Pavagada and Sira Taluks, where "Bebbe roga" and "Chappe roga" respectively are said to prevail. Water and fodder are available, except in two villages of the Maddagiri Taluk, where water scarcity is felt to some extent. Date leaves are being used as fodder in parts of the Sira Taluk.

MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of the Mysore, Yedatore and Malvalli Taluks.

Crops sown.—Jola in parts of the Chamrajnagar and Nanjangud Taluk; and green and black grams and halasandi in parts of the Seringapatam Taluk.

State of standing crops.—Cotton, sugar cane, green and black grams and kar paddy, are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Mysore and Yedatore Taluks and small-pox in parts of the Krishnarajpete Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Dodda roga" in parts of the Chamrajnagar Taluk and "Foot and mouth" disease in parts of the Yedatore and Nanjangud Taluks, cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Kar paddy and sugar cane in the Hassan and Arsikere Taluks; kode paddy in the Manjarabad Taluk; sugar cane in the Belur, Channarayapatna and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk, are reported to be in fair condition.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good.

11. Public health is generally good, except for small-pox in parts of the Hassan, Manjarabad, Arkalgud and Arsikere Taluks and plague in Kausika village of the Hassan Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Sugar cane seedlings are being planted in the Channagiri and Honnali Taluks.

Standing crops.—Sugar cane in the Shimoga, Channagiri, Sorab, Sagar and Nagar Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk and Vaisakhi paddy in the Sagar Taluk, are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar cane is being milled in the Channagiri Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good, except for small-pox in parts of the Channagiri, Honnali, Sorab, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks and plague in parts of the Sorab Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, except for "Foot and mouth" disease in parts of the Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur, Sagar and Tirthahalli Taluks and murrain in parts of the Sagar Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Ploughing and manuring of lands and planting of sugar cane are going on in parts of Mudgere, Koppa, Sringeri and Tarikere.

Standing crops.—Kode paddy and sugar cane in the Chikmagalur Taluk; sugar cane in the Kadur Taluk; sugar cane and cotton in the Tarikere Taluk; kode paddy, pepper and sugar cane in the Koppa Taluk; and kode paddy, chillies and sugar cane in the Mudgere Taluk. All these are reported to be in fair condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar cane and cotton in the Tarikere Taluk, yield 4 to 8 annas; and pepper and sugar cane in the Koppa Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Rain is urgently wanted for the coffee estates. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.

11. Small-pox prevails in certain villages of all the taluks in the district. Otherwise public health is generally good.

12. "Foot and mouth" disease is reported to be prevailing among cattle in certain villages of all the taluks in the district except Kadur. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Sugar cane, paddy and cotton are reported to be in fair condition.

Crops harvested.—Cotton in the Hiriyur, Holalkere, Davangere and Jagalur Taluks and Harihar Sub-Taluk, yield 8 to 16 annas; sugar cane in the Holalkere and Davangere Taluks, yield 8 annas; Bengal gram in the Davangere Taluk, yield 8 annas; wheat in the Molakalmuru Taluk, yield 8 annas; and castor in the Jagalur Taluk, yield, 6 to 10 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available.

11. Public health is generally good, except for the prevalence of small-pox in parts of the Jagalur and Hosdurga Taluks.

12. Cattle are healthy, except for "Foot and mouth" disease in parts of the Davangere and Hosdurga Taluks. Water and fodder are available.

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K. DORASWAMI IYER,
Revenue Commissioner.